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Re: KAA Y (AM), Little Rock, Arkansas  
Facility Identification Number: 33253  
Citadel Broadcasting Company  
Special Temporary Authority

Dear Counsel:

This is in reference to the request filed September 30, 2008, on behalf of Citadel Broadcasting Company ("Citadel"). Citadel requests extension of the special temporary authority ("STA") granted on March 30, 2007, to operate Station KAA Y during nighttime hours with parameters at variance from licensed values and/or reduced power while maintaining monitor points within licensed limits.<sup>1</sup>

In support of the request, Citadel states that it was determined that modification is required to the detuning of reradiating structures at a recently constructed power substation. Citadel further states that substantial progress has been made and that the KAA Y nighttime array is currently under adjustment.

Requests for extension of STA will be granted only where the licensee can show that one or more of the following criteria have been met:

- Restoration of licensed facilities is complete and testing is underway;
- Substantial progress has been made during the most recent STA period toward restoration of licensed operation; or
- No progress has been made during the most recent STA period for reasons clearly beyond the licensee's control, and the licensee has taken all possible steps to expeditiously resolve the problem.

Our review indicates that the licensee has made substantial progress toward restoring licensed

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<sup>1</sup> KAA Y is licensed for operation on 1090 kHz with 50 kilowatts daytime and 50 kilowatts nighttime, employing a directional antenna during nighttime hours only (DA-N-U).

operation. Thus, extension of STA is warranted.

Accordingly, the request for extension of STA IS HEREBY GRANTED. Station KAAY may continue to operate with parameters at variance from licensed values and/or reduced power while maintaining monitor points within licensed limits. It will be necessary to further reduce power or cease operation if complaints of interference are received. Citadel must notify the Commission when licensed operation is restored.<sup>2</sup> Citadel must use whatever means are necessary to protect workers and the public from exposure to radio frequency radiation in excess of the Commission's exposure guidelines. *See* 47 CFR § 1.1310.

This authority expires on **December 10, 2009**.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Charles N. Miller", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Charles N. Miller, Engineer  
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cc: Citadel Broadcasting Company

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<sup>2</sup> *See* 47 CFR §§ 73.45(c), 73.51, 73.54, 73.61(b).